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FREE ADVICE

as a rule finds less takers in the open market than free tickets to a circus. Nevertheless we have a bit of free advice for our customers, which we give as a preventative against annoyance and disappointment, and we also give our reason for so doing. HERE IT IS: Buy your winter overcoat just as soon as your circumstances will allow, and don't fail to rush your circumstances.

Our reason for giving such advice is because never before in the history of the clothing business was there such an overcoat famine as exists at the present time. And here is the reason for the famine.

Wholesale manufacturers were very late in giving orders to the mills for overcoat fabrics. Why? Because they could not decide as to the style of fabric which would be most popular. Woolen mills cannot perform impossibilities, thus it is plain to be seen that late orders caused late deliveries.

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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Exeter game tomorrow.

The autumn week of prayer begins at the South church next Sunday.

J. Leonard Brown and family of the Holt district, have moved into 45 Whitmer street.

The initiatory degree was worked by Andover lodge, 230, I. O. O. F., on Monday evening.

Andover was one of the first towns to be heard from on election returns this year, as usual.

Charles Greene of Post 90, G. A. R., went to Lowell Wednesday evening to inspect Garfield post, No. 185. Moses L. Farnham acted as aide.

C. E. Stevens, ex-P. S. '01, and pitcher on the ball team, has come out for half back at Princeton.

Several members of the Lawrence Canoe club from Andover attended the "Smoker," at the club house last Monday evening.

The Raymond male quartet rendered several selections at a meeting of the Men's club of the Second Baptist church, Lawrence, Thursday evening.

Capt. J. A. Collins, D. H. Botchford and E. L. Barney of last year's football team at Phillips academy, are playing on the Princeton Prep. eleven.

Andover people attended the concert given by Gladys Perkins Fogg, assisted by other fine artists, at the Flint Memorial hall, North Reading, Friday evening.

The fifth fall convention of the Merrimack Valley league of the King's Daughters is being held with the Courtroom circle of the South church this afternoon and evening.

Shirley Ellis resigned his position as coach of the Phillips Andover football team last Saturday night and the team has been coached this week by several Harvard and Yale men.

Willie Foster has received the third of four prizes given by a friend of the Audubon society to any boy or girl in Massachusetts under 16, for the best painting of a bobolink. The prize was \$10.

The sewing department of the W. C. man's union of the South church recently packed and sent two barrels to a missionary in the West, valued at \$202.25, instead of a barrel and \$202 as was reported.

A wrestling match has been arranged between John E. Dearborn of Ballardvale and Luke Decoursey of Wakefield, to be held in the Town hall, Thursday evening, Nov. 21. Decoursey weighs 100 pounds stripped and is a very strong wrestler. Four preliminary bouts will be held, the names of those participating to be announced later.

A correspondent, commenting on the paragraph printed last week stating there were but twelve students in Andover Theological Seminary, writes that "the theological seminaries that adhere to and teach the old doctrines of the gospel are all full and flourishing; thus, Hartford has over 100 students; Princeton, 200, while Andover, which has departed somewhat from its former teachings, notwithstanding its creed, has only 12 students while in former years it stood first in this regard."—Reading Chronicle.

Several members of the Andover Golf club participated in the handicap cup tournament among five clubs of the vicinity held by the Merrimack Valley Country club at Lawrence last Saturday afternoon. The cup was won by Sumner of the Merrimack's. Prof. Charles H. Forbes of the Andover Golf club, had the fourth best gross score, 97. The men from Andover who took part, and their gross and net scores, were as follows: Prof. Forbes, gross, 97, net 90; John Dove, gross 110, net 110; Duke Smith, gross 107, net 100; Edward Brooks, gross 107, net 100; Henry W. Boynton, gross 107, net 100.

The local chapter of the Daughters of the Revolution have been requested to take charge of, and forward money and articles (aprons particularly) which the Andover people may be disposed to give to the fair in aid of the fund for the preservation of the Constitution, better known as "Old Ironsides." As the fair opens Nov. 18 in one of the halls connected with Tremont Temple, it is desirable that such contributions be left during the coming week either with Miss Florence A. Parker, Summer street, Mrs. Charles E. Abbott, Main street, Mrs. Frank H. Messer, Locke street, or Mrs. William Marland, School street.

A corn husking was held recently at the residence of Horace Dyer of this place, at which were present about 75 of the Reading Congregational church Christian Endeavorers. The occasion was a most enjoyable one according to all reports. The barn was suitably lighted with lanterns and red ears were plentiful, although had they not been, the boys were prepared for an emergency. After the husking all repaired to the barn chamber where a bountiful supper was served, including baked beans, brown bread, pumpkin pie, etc. Old fashioned games followed the supper after the barn floor had been cleared. The merry makers returned to Reading on the electric after a vote of thanks had been extended to Mr. Dyer and family for their entertainment.

Alex Ritchie is playing roller polo with the Crescents of Lawrence.

Gen. William F. Bartlett Post 90, G. A. R., enjoyed a supper at the Metropolitan last Friday evening.

Kelly Moynihan will enter the employment of the New England Tel. & Tel. company as night operator at the local exchange.

Mrs. David Lindsay entertained her Sunday school class from the Free church, last evening. The young men had a most enjoyable time.

The postponed annual meeting of the King's Daughters will be held in the South church vestry next Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The auction sale of real estate advertised to be held tomorrow on Pearson street will not take place, as the property has been sold privately.

W. F. Merrill, vice-president of the H. & N. H. R. R., and Mrs. Merrill have been in town this week visiting the former's mother, Mrs. J. H. Merrill.

Warren L. Johnson has returned to Andover for the winter. During the past year he has been acting as gardener on the H. C. Richards estate in Sharon.

At the Baptist church the subject of the Sunday morning sermon will be "New Testament Piety." In the evening the pastor will speak on "Lessons from the Life of Elijah the Prophet." Violin solo by Miss Anna Stone at the evening service.

The Andover Cricket club, at its meeting Monday evening, decided to run a series of entertainments in the Village hall the coming winter and a committee consisting of H. Saunders, D. Counts and W. Fairlee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Currier & Campion are displaying handsome apples of which they have received a car load from Maine, having been purchased by one of their men. Although this is said to be a bad year for apples it would be very difficult to find better looking fruit in the most auspicious of seasons.

The Ladies' Home Missionary society of the Baptist church will be addressed by Miss Frances L. Yocumans of Fisk University, on Tuesday, Nov. 12th, at 3 o'clock, in Baptist chapel. All ladies interested in the work of the American Missionary association are cordially invited to be present.

Rev. William Knight, of Fall River, will address the Andover Seminary society of inquiry, Thursday evening, November 14, at 7.30. His subject will be "The Labor Question." Mr. Knight is an authority upon this subject and is an interesting speaker. The public are cordially invited to attend this, and other public meetings of this society.

Tickets for the Exeter game went on sale at the Andover Bookstore Wednesday noon and tickets for the special train were likewise placed on sale at the depot this morning. The train leaves for Exeter tomorrow noon at 12.30 o'clock. The Andover team will go to Exeter tomorrow morning on the 8.57 train in order to be ready for the game which is scheduled to commence at 2 o'clock. Lorin F. Deland will referee. Exeter is undoubtedly much stronger than Andover this year and should win by team play, individually the men being not very far from equal in weight and ability.

Last Tuesday evening a Young Men's club was very auspiciously inaugurated at the Free church. There has been a feeling for some time that something should be done to keep the interest of the young men and boys awake in church matters, and the opening of the Young Men's club is a decided step in the right direction. The response Tuesday evening was extremely gratifying, thirty-five being present and the membership will easily reach fifty. The club will probably meet either Monday or Tuesday evenings of the week. The first part of the evening will be devoted to games and amusements, the second part to addresses on topics of interest. The club is in charge of Rev. F. A. Wilson who is very enthusiastic for the movement. The next meeting will be Monday evening when a talk on "Electricity in Daily Life" will be given by Chas. H. Eames. Officers will also be chosen.

New lamp lights have been put in the length of the platform at the Boston & Main station.

A. L. Ripley of this place and Miss P. Mackay of Boston, took part in the mixed foursomes at the Country club in Boston last Tuesday afternoon. They made the third best gross score.

The Andover football team will play the Wakefield high school team at Wakefield tomorrow and Peabody high in Andover a week from Saturday. Sweat-shirts have been ordered of J. Wm. Dean.

Miss Minnie Suggatt of the Lawrence Gas company's Andover office, was one of the ushers at the Otis-Coburn wedding in Lawrence, Tuesday evening. Mrs. Otis, nee Coburn, conducted a dancing class in Andover very successfully the past two seasons.

John T. Hayes, formerly of this place, charged with murdering his former sweetheart, Miss Winifred Cooke of Winsted, Conn., was found guilty of murder in the second degree this morning and was immediately sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Mr. Brookins and lady, Miss Washington, won the handsome cake made by Caterer Higgins, at the cake walk given by George Jett in Pilgrim hall last evening. The affair was well attended by the colored residents of this place and Lawrence. George Jett gave a great exhibition of buck and wing dancing to the delight of everybody. Thomas' orchestra furnished the music.

It is said upon good authority that a certain young man in this place had the decidedly pleasurable experience of freeing a "coon" down near "Pelfershire" last Saturday night, waiting until daylight to get the animal, and then of losing himself in the woods while trying to find his way home. A companion who was with him when the raccoon was freed, lived in that neighborhood and went home to bed, preferring to lose himself in dreamland rather than to sit out in the cold all night. Of course this accounts for the other young man's trouble in finding where he was at, not being familiar with the locality himself but depending upon his guide. He was at length restored to his home, richer in experience and a thirty-two pound "coon."

Abbott Village.

A short piece of road is being macadamized by aid of the road roller on Mineral street in Abbott Village.

Timothy Hickey and family have moved from Mineral street to their new house on Essex street. One tenement in the house is occupied by John Hickey and family of North Andover.

John S. Anderson, Jr., had good success gunning, Wednesday, getting two rabbits. There seems to be an abundance of game in the woods this year. A fox was heard barking in the woods not far from the street on the road to West Parish last evening.

WEST PARISH.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Averill attended the meeting of the Pomona Grange at Salisbury yesterday. The 5th degree was conferred.

A private subscription party under the auspices of George L. Averill, Chas. L. Bailey, and John A. Morrill, will be held Friday evening, Nov. 22, in Grange hall.

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Unclaimed Letters.

Nov. 4, 1901.
Dwight, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. H. L. O'Brien, Mrs. John Dyer, G. O. Prindle, J. F. Smith, F. A. Schillmiller, Miss M. Ford, Arthur J. Straker, H. C. Hardy, Mrs. C. H. Starbird, John Harris, W. R. Sweet, Greenley Hodson, Mrs. Victor Wilson, F. T. Wood, Peter Forbes, Francis ARTHUR BLISS, P. M.

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BALLARDVALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Rev. Edwin Smith, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Nov. 10.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by the pastor.

Sunday school to follow.

3.30 p. m. Meeting of Juniors.

6.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting.

7.30 p. m. Praise service with address by Rev. F. J. Libby, who will speak on "The work at the Mass. Reformatory among young men."

7.30 p. m. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, Rev. Carl K. Hudson, pastor. Services for Sunday, Nov. 10.

10.30 a. m. Worship with sermon by pastor.

Sunday school to follow.

3.30 p. m. Meeting of Epworth League.

7.30 p. m. Praise service with address by the pastor.

7.30 p. m. Friday evening, prayer meeting.

George Simpson is quite seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greene spent Sunday with relatives in Lowell.

The vote last Tuesday, 114, was about the smallest ever cast in Precinct 2.

Miss Stella Herrick is rapidly convalescing from her recent severe illness.

Hugh Colliton and family removed to Somerville the latter part of last week.

Walter Sladen, of Weymouth, has been the guest of Mrs. Caroline Walker.

Miss Belle McCarthy, of Lawrence, spent Thursday with friends in the Vale.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell F. Wilson have been visiting friends in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Ballard Vale school teachers attended the session of the Essex Institute last Friday.

Mrs. Willard F. Lowe and son, Everett, are spending several days with Mary S. Lowe.

G. H. Allen, M. D., of New York, was the guest last Sunday of friends in the Village.

Joseph Legier, of Jamaica Plains, spent last Sunday with his friend, George Miller.

Mrs. Grace Kohlhaas, of Newburyport, has been the guest of Mrs. Charles H. Marland.

Mrs. T. A. Hodgdon, of Dryden Mills, Me., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Parkhurst.

George Greenwood, of Maynard, was the guest Saturday and Sunday of his brother, Alfred Greenwood.

Miss Allison Hulme and Miss Jennie Mory, of Lawrence, spent Sunday with their friend, Miss Isabel Miller.

The Congregational Ladies' aid society will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Davies, Friday afternoon, Nov. 15.

The local Good Templars will pay a fraternal visit to Rescue lodge, No. Andover, next Tuesday evening, Nov. 12. Ammon P. Richardson, of Andover, will convey the party in his barge.

There was a good attendance at the "Pound Party" held at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday evening. Games were played and a good social evening was enjoyed by all present.

The annual harvest supper will be held in the Congregational vestry next Wednesday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 o'clock. Supper tickets, 25 cents. The public is very cordially invited to attend.

Last Monday evening Ballard Vale lodge, No. 105, elected the following named persons officers for the ensuing year: C. T. Herbert, C. T. T. Oscar T. Newcomb, sec., Mrs. J. H. Smith, F. S. Miss S. Jennie Stark, T. Daniel H. Poor, C. Miss Etta Greenwood, M. Miss Gertrude Newcomb, D. M. Mrs. Millie B. Hammond, A. S. Albert Greenwood, G. Miss Fannie S. White, sen., Miss Ella May Teague, organist, Miss Emma Abercrombie, asst. organist, Miss S. Jennie Stark. The reports of the officers and several committees showed the lodge to be in a very flourishing condition. The newly elected officers were then installed by Daniel H. Poor, assisted by Charles Pearson, installing marshal, and Mrs. Henry L. Clukey, deputy marshal.

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HISTORICAL ANDOVER

From France to Andover.

Baird's "French Huguenots in America" did not catch all who came here after the Edict of Nantes. The Dudley grant was settled in 1686 by a colony of 30 families, mainly devoted to morocco dressing and fine leather. They built 2 forts, planted grapes, peaches, and small fruits near Sutton, at a site now called Oxford, and were thriving well in 1696, when the Indians sent them flying again. These Faneuils, Girards, Sigournays, and others familiar to us, were residents of Boston later, where they sought refuge, worshipping in the old school house of Ezekiel Cheever on School street. Possibly Peter Cornelius was a young lad among these or joined them before they came into Boston. He appears in Billerica, August, 1695, as bridegroom of the only daughter of Capt. John Marshall, a well-to-do settler of East Billerica. Peter is called a Frenchman when he receives his grant in 1699, which lay on the extreme north west point of the present town of Wilmington, south east of the Shawshin. It was near Jonathan Baldwin and the Marshalls—the Beards and Thompsons of Woburn, then adjoining Billerica. Later his land was in three towns, set off in a new division. Old Thomas and Joanna Marshall, who died in Andover in 1708, near 100, were grandparents of Joanna Marshall, wife of Peter. She only had one brother John and they were children of Hannah Burridge of Charlestown, daughter of John, the ferry man. She died and was succeeded by widow Damaris Waite, and when John Marshall died, he liberally granted her one third of the movables forever, and an interest in one half the land, and she agreed to a large annuity, considering she came to Andover in a 3rd marriage to Lt. Thomas Johnson. Peter Cornelius was to have one third, John Marshall two thirds of the remaining estate, and the same share in the widow's dower on her decease.

John Marshall died before the ancient dam, and Peter came forward and paid 17½ towards legacy, and finally gave up his claims on the widow's dower for a good fair sum, and left the good natured nephews and nieces to arrange affairs to suit themselves, and as they were all fair and square, all were content and he gained to his own land that of his first wife Joanna. He married in 1708, after four years of loneliness, a 2nd wife Elizabeth Frost, a grand daughter of Thomas Foster, the old gunner and blacksmith of Weymouth stock. Nearly all the children married Andover men probably on account of old Grandisr Thomas and Joanna, and stepmother Damaris being over here. Susanna and Ben Lovejoy, Mary and Tim Lovejoy and Elizabeth and Joseph Clark, grandson of John Lovejoy settled on North Parish line near John Wilson. Hannah married John Frost of Billerica. John probably died in youth, as Peter who deers freely all he has to son Peter, never names him and Sarah a youngest babe, probably died unmarried.

I could not discover name of wife Rebecca of Peter. A Beard, Baldwin or Thompson perhaps supplied a bride. He settled near his father, who retains use of one half of the barn and one half the fruit of the apple orchard. The electric line from Reading to Lowell, near Billerica line in Wilmington, pass the cross road that leads off to Silver Lake, once Sandy Pond, beyond the schoolhouse. On the opposite corner are the cellar and stumps of two fine elms, and the old wells, one each side the way, that mark the site of the old Cornell inn that entertained the traveler from 1700 to 1800, if not longer. The farm is still a good sized one, but is curtailed by the sale to the Locks & Canal and the Railroad, and the Shawshin meadows are not included now.

Rebecca married John Demerey (possibly Demorest) whose line I do not yet find. Maybe another Frenchman allied to the Fashion publisher of today. Joanna went to the Wyoming Valley after 1766 with Asa Buck perhaps, but this is not yet verified. A family of Bucks from Woburn are being hunted, who suffered heavily in the Massacre of Revolution. Mary Cornell married Joseph Winn of Wilmington. Hannah, wife of John Eames and Sarah, wife of Joshua Harnden, probably sent many alliances to Andover later, not yet noted; but Capt. Nathan Eames, son of Hannah, married his cousin Susanna Harnden, daughter of Sarah Cornell, and their daughter Abigail Eames married Isaac Russell, a descendant of John of Andover, while Lemuel Cobb Eames and wife Catherine Howard sent us Lemuel Holmes Eames, a resident here sixth in line from old Peter through these two great grandmothers. Charles is a credit to the stock, as well as the kin in other suburbs, well known here. When old Peter, who buried his father some, where near 1734 died himself as per Probate in 1770, he leaves the farm to only son Peter and gives each of these girls one fifth share in home goods, same of live stock, except best cow, which remains undisposed of, I suppose Peter got it. Wife Rebecca has the homestead for life. All the line are remarkable in liberal treatment of the dowerers who thus were eligible for a second marriage, and I do not discover what became of the first three grandmothers, unless they all married again and so got lost. Peter and wife Hepzibah Temple lived on at peace with the neighbors, and dispensed hospitality, training up a small family of three sons, John and Ebenezer dying at, or just before maturity, as the names are found in deeds as witnesses. James came into possession of estate probably as only heir at death of Peter in 1807, whose stone

still stands in the yard at the Centre. James married Lucretia Jaquith pedigree unknown, in 1787, and thus saved a daughter Lucretia who married Cyrus Taylor of a well known line in Woburn and Lexington, and a son James, 10 years younger than Lucretia, who married Mary Clark (called Polly earlier). She was in the old Watertown line that sent us Abijah Clark of West Andover, represented last by Nathan Clark. Abijah's brother Peter of Tewksbury was ancestor of Polly and the old grandmother Wyman had the blood of heroes, so we know beforehand how bravely the wife of James Cornell met the ills of life. Her husband finding farming different from what it was and the old stage coach supplanted by a canal right across the door way—turned carpenter and worked on the Locks. He kept pigeons and the old inn yard was full of hovering stools and baskets and cages for the birds and feathers were prepared and sold in the Boston market. In 1799, when young James was only two years old his father sold a strip 7 rods wide and 177 rods long, covering 3 acres of the east meadow, to the Middlesex Canal company, and the inn would be too near Lowell to gain much trade, so they began to sell land in lots, to neighbors who were employed in building locks and repairing the Canal. The old water way is still a beautiful path and I would like to see it cleared, filled and made an electric water way noiseless and dustless. Near the inn site is the ruin of the Nichols Lock and farther up the road on the Shawshin, the aqueduct masonry taking the canal over the river. Into all this bustle and picturesque travel the young family of James and Polly were introduced on the old homestead. Cornelius, spelled Corneille, Cornill, Corneil, had now become Cornell, in 100 years. James Thompson Cornell, born 1821, was only 12, Mary at 11, Charlotte aged 7, and baby John was 2 years old when in the first blow fell, the young father dying in 1832, just as the scheme for the Boston & Lowell R. R. was introduced. Grandisr James sold a valuable deed of land to the company in 1834, and steam began to run against horses. Then mother Lucretia was left alone, Mrs. Cornell coming to Andover to settle first in the old house once standing on the Major Lowe place, built by Ben Ames, the tavern keeper.

Young Charlotte stayed behind with her grand parents, and in 1836, one dark day in February, Grandma Lucretia died, followed next day by her aunt Lucretia Taylor and the mother and only daughter were laid in one grave. Grandisr stayed a year longer and died, last of the Cornells to hold the old estate, in 1837. The Taylor heirs wished for a division and young James Cornell and brother John met with the first set back, as it seemed, when the place was sold to Jonathan Jaquith and the cash divided. It passed to Bedell and Swain and last June to George Atton, an Englishman born in America, who has an interesting young family, who are glad to hear the story of the old farm. As I sat on the old elm stump, Friday and studied the setting of this family life, it seemed a special providence that the young things were taken from these meadows along the Shawshin to Andover hill, and to a different environment, and it was for our gain also. The river friendly yet treacherous flowing on past Andover Hill side, carried out James, his mother's right arm, at 24 in 1845, while bathing. On John, then 15, came the responsibility of the name. The railroad followed Mrs. Cornell to Andover, and compelled her to move from the brick bachel house (near Sweeney estate) to her final home here on Harding street, after a disagreeable experience with the B & M corporation. She was able to rent half the house, and for long years, her tenants learned her hospitality and other rare virtues. The genial spirits of both lines of ancestry came to these children and they never lacked friends. They were all skilled in trained labor. One could help the mother in bleaching and sewing and trimming the fine Leghorn and Neapolitan braids so carefully cherished by our dames 50 years ago, another could make gowns with alacrity and good taste. Charlotte married James Smith, Mary married Marshall Blood, both well known here.

John first began a business career in "Valpey's" with Derby, a provision dealer of that date, one half the place occupied by a tailor. His health failed at 18 and he was advised to groom horses to recover. This led to a purchase of a good horse, and finally a partnership with Mr. Mayberry in a livery stable owned by Richardson.

There he had a lumber trade also till the great fire about 1870 wiped off the corner. He sold the Elm House stable to George Bean and embarked in the new venture of providing fuel for Andover, wood and coal, and a capital to back him acquired by patient saving and frugal habits, enabled him to cope successfully with our depraved Andover credit system, in which such ventures suffer greatly. He had home tastes and spent nothing in vicious indulgence. Loyal to an early ideal and finding with his mother and sisters, the home many solitary business men find imperative for relaxation, he never married, and whether Andover would not have gained more in the inheritance of integrity and common sense cannot be argued. He left us an object lesson of what a boy trained in common school and home business ways with local ventures, slow and safe, and ability to adapt himself to a change of conditions, can do right here in Andover. When to hold on, when to let go, can be learned right here where good honest work and wit is needed. He represented the town in 1878 at State Legislature, was a director in the Banks and Andover Press, trustee of Memorial Hall and Spring Grove, and other positions of trust. His bequests to Abbot and Phillips academies, to Memorial Hall and the worthy poor of Andover are his best monument. Let us take up his work of bringing to others less energetic, thus less fortunate, those things that broaden the mental horizon, good reading, true art, and all that will make old Andover attractive to those who come after us.

C. H. A.

LAWRENCE

Louis Connors spent Sunday in Haverhill.

James Cavitt has gone to Newfield, N. H.

Harold Kellett of 98 Trenton street is ill with scarlet fever.

Miss Annie Jaquith is the guest of friends in Concord, N. H.

Alexander Wilson of Belmont street is indisposed at his home.

George Kelley of Boston visited friends in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Rowe are visiting friends at Astabula, O.

Wilfred Lord of Grove street spent Sunday among friends in Malden.

John McLaughlin of 180 South Union street is ill with typhoid fever.

Cynthia Johnson has been visiting in Plymouth, Mass., for the past week.

Frank Dearborn of Essex street is confined to his home on account of illness.

Fred Elliott of Biddeford, Me., is the guest of friends in this city for a few weeks.

William Doughty of Allston street is confined to his home on account of illness.

Miss Nora Blanchette of Garden street spent Sunday in Haverhill among friends.

Fred Starks and W. N. Pike have returned from the Maine woods with a moose and a deer apiece.

The engagement is announced of Miss Isabelle Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, to J. H. Anderson.

Miss Grace Lane of Saunders street, has fully recovered from the injuries which she received in a recent automobile accident.

Miss Carolyn Fellows of Egan street recently visited with her cousin Miss Ethel Bamford of Lynn. She also visited relatives in Salem.

Mrs. A. R. Sanborn has returned from a several weeks' stay with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Kitchell, at Scranton, Pa.

C. A. Clarke of North Lawrence, N. Y., is renewing acquaintances in this city and in Methuen. Mr. Clark formerly ran a grocery store in Methuen.

Mrs. Harry E. Hewitt of Amesbury is stopping for a week at the home of her parents-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hewitt, of Lawrence street.

Rev. George H. Young has been spending a few days in this city. He delivered an address at last Monday evening's meeting of the Monday Night club.

John G. Praetz for the past nine years employed by Buckley, McCormick & Sullivan has gone into the retail furniture business in his own interests. He is located at 190 Union street, corner of Brook. His friends wish him success in his new field.

The election of two deacons of the Lawrence street Congregational church to fill the vacancies caused by the death of the late James H. Eaton and John Aldred which was to have taken place Sunday was postponed till the first Sunday of December.

Terrence Brady of Haverhill street, Louis Connor of Olive avenue and William O'Mahoney of Elizabeth street attended a Halloween party at the home of the Misses Behan in Haverhill Friday evening.

Miss Alice Riley has left the employ of Cooper Bros. to accept a position in the cloak department of the Reid & Hughes establishment. Miss Riley had been connected with the A. W. Stearns store for the past ten years.

At the meeting of the board of aldermen next Monday night Alderman Belknap will introduce an order authorizing Mayor Leonard to purchase a site for a new engine house in South Lawrence. The site selected is the lot bounded by South Union, Boxford and Foster streets. It is owned by the Essex company and it is stated that the company will not sell the land to a private individual but is willing to sell it to the city at a reduced price.

The lot is triangular and is regarded as an admirable site for the engine house, which would front on three streets and possibly a fourth street, Cambridge street; if the suggestion of the Essex company to beautify the tip of the triangle by laying it out as a miniature park is carried out.

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F or City Election.

The time for filing nomination papers by both Republican and Democratic candidates for municipal offices expired Wednesday night, the Republican time limit being at 8.30 p. m., and the Democratic at 9 p. m.

As expected, papers were filed by Alderman Pickels and Alexander L. Grant in the Republican majority contest and there are three candidates for the Democratic nomination, Mayor Leonard, Dr. William J. Sullivan and Richard Culane.

Superintendent Hudson is unopposed for re-nomination as street commissioner. In the Democratic camp there are many candidates, Paul Hannagan, John J. Healey, A. J. Caffrey, W. T. Barry, and Richard A. Linnahan.

The Republican aldermanic candidates who filed papers are: Ward one, Gustave Plisch; ward three, William P. White; ward five, Charles M. Choate; ward six, Harry B. Lane. The vacancies in ward two and four will be filled later.

The Democratic aldermanic candidates are: Ward two, James P. Flynn; ward three, Councilmen Henry Hart and John Kennedy; ward four, Councilman Fred S. McCarthy and ex-Councilman John J. Connor; ward five, John D. Murphy; ward six, Alderman Belknap and John Daley.

DR. HOWE RESIGNS.

After 20 years of faithful, efficient service, Dr. O. T. Howe has formally resigned his duties as medical examiner of the Lawrence District. His resignation was sent in yesterday and will take effect upon the appointment of a successor.

While nothing can be said definitely regarding the one who will be selected to fill the office, it is probable that Dr. George Dow, the assistant medical examiner, will be appointed to succeed the present incumbent. The appointment will be made by the Governor of Massachusetts and his council.

When asked his reasons for resigning the office, Dr. Howe replied that he was simply through with it and desired to give up the duties.

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COUNTY NEWS.

Mrs. Thomas Whittle of Georgetown suicided at her home by hanging, Saturday.

Sylvester Grant, a Haverhill painter, fell off a ladder while at work Saturday and broke both arms and one leg.

A little girl named Basileire was burned at Haverhill Saturday while playing about a bonfire. Four hours later she died.

Captain Alexander McEhern of the schooner Maggie and May, Gloucester, fell 200 feet to the deck by reason of the ladder breaking. He was quite badly injured.

Charles Moore, colored, with many aliases was arrested at Haverhill for Boston officers. He is thought to be one of the gang of thieves which has been operating at the Hub.

Essex lodge, I. O. O. F., of Salem, Monday evening observed the 58th anniversary of its formation. A regular meeting was held, after which the hall was opened for the entertainment of the evening. Noble Grand Warren P. Jenkins presided, and extended a cordial welcome to all visiting Odd Fellows and their friends, and introduced Deputy Grand Master Winslow J. Rowell, who addressed the gathering. The Mystic quartet of Lynn rendered selections.

In the presence of several people who were promenading the beach, Justin E. Burnham, 45 years old, deliberately committed suicide, Sunday afternoon, on Nahant beach, by drowning. The suicide was one of the most sensational that ever took place in Salem. Burnham, who had recently come to this city from Walpole, wandered about on the beach for some time, and then lay down in the sand. About 4 o'clock he rose to his feet and walked into the water. He had proceeded but a short distance when he turned toward the beach again, drew off his coat and vest and threw them down. Then he faced about and marching into deep water deliberately drowned himself.

At the probate court held at Salem last Monday, before Judge Harmon, wills of the following deceased persons were proved: Cecil F. Bancroft of Andover; Clarissa L. Bancroft, Lynn; Sarah E. Freeto, Marblehead; Bridget Hegarty, Salem; Mary E. Rodrick, Swampscott; Albert G. Hetfield, Beverly; Margaret McDonald, Gloucester; Elizabeth N. Cheever, Salem, and Hawley Folsom, Haverhill. Administrations were granted on estates of Leonard Barnum, Lynnhead; Helen Baxter, North Andover; George L. Brown, Salisbury; William A. Carleton, Groveland; Sarah P. Cheney, Haverhill; William Archer, Beverly; Henrietta Hale, Lynn; James H. Marten, Middleton; Isabel S. Mason, Merrimack; Mary J. McNeill, Lynn; Isaac D. Patch, Hamilton; Arabelle S. Randall, Lynn; William B. Rogers, Beverly, and Jim M. Williams, Salem.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Friday

Arrest in Haverhill of negro believed to be one of Boston sneak thief gang—Miss Minnie A. Gardner of Troy, N. Y., a waitress, finds she was kidnapped when a child and is in reality a daughter of a Mr. Joseph, a Chicago banker—White house children have been so annoyed by camera fiends that the grounds are closed—President Roosevelt to take a strong stand in regard to bringing an end to the Indian tribal relation—Naval board asks for forty vessels including three seagoing battleships of 16,000 tons displacement, two armored cruisers of 14,500 tons, six gunboats, 1200 tons, six of 600 and six of 200, also colliers, trainship, pickets, repair ships and tugboats—Boers attack the rear guard of Col. Benson's column of British near Bethel, kill nine officers and 54 men and wound 173; Boers suffer heavy loss—Irish envoys given a welcome by many New York societies—1400 Essex county teachers meet in Lawrence—Li Hung Chang is reported to be seriously ill—Naval pageant held in honor of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall at Portsmouth, Eng.

Saturday

Football, Harvard 48, Brown 0; Yale 5, West Point 5; Princeton 8, Cornell 6; University of Michigan 22, Carleton 0—Mrs. Chauncey Jones shot down by neighbor in her home at Langdon, N. H.—Woman brutally beaten and robbed by colored assailant at Chestnut Hill reservoir, Boston, in broad day light Saturday afternoon—Death of Edward S. Stokes, slayer of "Jim" Fiske, at New York—Yale receives \$420,000 from the Lamson estate to build lyceum and endow chairs—Turkey gives in to France and accepts all claims against her—Smallpox of a virulent type has spread over London.

Sunday

Two Newton, Mass., men shot by mob at Columbia, S. C.—Lisbon, N. H., has \$100,000 fire—Two women nurses in hospital at Dunning, Ill., charged with having starved patients—John Fernald Stickney of Newburyport, attains the age of 100—Dr. Lorimer preaches in his new church in New York—Justin Burnham of Walpole drowns himself at Lynn by holding his head under water—Mass stopped in Chicago and J. J. Crowley, an excommunicated priest, is ordered to leave the church.

Monday

Sir Michael Hicks-Benich in a speech at Bristol, Eng., says the cost of the Boer war is enormous—Worst for years experienced at London: many casualties—reported—Miss Gertrude Dowd, a pretty clerk in a Winsted, Conn., store discharged because she tried to kiss John T. Hayes who killed his sweetheart—Miss Rosemond Barclay claims to be the wife of E. S. Stokes—Miss Stone, the captive missionary, seen by emissaries sent by American diplomatic agent Dickinson to treat with the brigands; both Miss Stone and her companion are alive and well but very tired—Thomas H. Honey, driver of engine 1, Brookline, badly injured in a runaway while responding to a false alarm—"Robert Balfour Macdonald," who posed as a millionaire, disappears from Attleboro with another man's overcoat and \$3—St. Paul woman tried suicide by cremation in the bath tub.

Tuesday

Election day, Crane wins by 71,352; Boston for Quincy, 7099; Tammany loses; Low wins by about 30,000, Jerome by about 15,000; Republican gain general throughout the country—Archibald Frost elected senator in 5th Essex district over Cloutier—Ester Gero, alleged slayer of her husband at Chesnut, Me., arraigned at Dover, Me., and held in \$2000—Announcement made that French squadron has taken three Turkish ports—Boers carried away two British guns under cover of an ambulance after an engagement near Brakenlaage—Capt. Parker begins his plea for \$10 per cent in wages, at his Fall River mill, returning to the former basis—Five days' convention of the Massachusetts branch of the King's Daughters and Sons opens at Boston; officers elected—John Hunter dies in the streets of New York by starvation—Portland visited by a destructive fire, causing total loss of about \$300,000—Plot to murder American garrison at one of the provinces in the island of Luzon, revealed by wife of one of the conspirators—Veterans made that Boss Croker would give up the leadership of Tammany to John F. Carroll.

Wednesday

Eugene E. Schmidt, leader of the orchestra in the Columbia theatre in San Francisco, elected mayor by the labor party—Joseph Chamberlain considers Boer war near its end—Italian laborers threaten to blow up a dam under construction at Carr pond, New London, Conn.—Gorman will probably replace Senator Wellington of Maryland in the senate—Croker denies that he will abdicate the leadership of Tammany—Ten were lost and several badly injured in theatre fire at Hurley, Wis.—Ex-Capt. Carter, formerly of the U. S. army, now in jail at Fort Leavenworth for embezzlement, stakes his entire fortune of \$700,000 on a civil trial—Gen. Nelson A. Miles attends reunion of the Mass. Company of the military order of the Loyal Legion of the U. S. at the American house, Boston—John Armstrong Chandler adjudged sane.

Thursday

Li Hung Chang died at 11 o'clock; for 40 years he had been preeminent in the far east and west—City marshal and eight patrolmen of Salem, Mass., under fire by Mayor Hurley, who alleges general inefficiency and lack of discipline—Sculptor Kraus passes away—France insists that Turkey must give full guarantees to her—Schley case in the court's hands—France will found school in U. S. to be devoted to the study of industrial methods—Convicts at large, having mutinied on site of U. S. prison near Leavenworth, Kan., two men killed, 5 wounded and 24 convicts at large—Water main bursts in New York, flooding tunnel—Gov. Crane issues Thanksgiving Day proclamation for Thursday, Nov. 28.

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ESSEX COUNTY TEACHERS

Annual Convention at Lawrence last Friday Well Attended.

The seventy-second annual convention of the Essex County Teachers' association was held at city hall Friday, nearly every school in the county being represented. Fully 1400 people were present, the hall being filled when President Roscoe D. McKee of Haverhill called the convention to order at 10 o'clock.

The exercises opened with a chorus by the Lawrence High school pupils, who sang a part song "Luna" by Barnby, under the direction of W. W. Keays. Prayer was offered by Rev. Frederick H. Page of Trinity church.

An address of welcome was delivered by Mayor James F. Leonard, who spoke as follows: "Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Essex County Teachers' association: It is very pleasing to me this beautiful morning to have the opportunity of saying a few words through the kindness of your officers, who thought it fitting that I should be here to address you in order that you might feel a little more at home knowing that you were at least welcome."

"Consequently it is pleasing to me to assure you that the city of Lawrence extends to you all a hearty welcome, and I hope that your convention may prove a great success. The great work in which you are engaged commends itself to every one. The city of Lawrence feels that it has done its full duty by its schools and its teachers. The best only is what we have got and I suppose that may be said of other cities and towns represented here. There is no work so noble and grand as that in which you are engaged. To your charge is entrusted the future greatness of our country, and much depends on the result of your teaching. By this convention you acknowledge the fact that you feel the responsibility of the work that you will do all in your power after you secure your places as teachers to still further perfect yourself by learning from each other the best methods and means in order that the most successful results may be obtained. Therefore I pray that your present work may be successful, and that the day you spend with us may be enjoyed by you all."

"I hope that you will all be able to visit our High school and other of our schools as you may find time. You may rest assured that any courtesy and attention that we may be able to show will be a pleasure to us. I am at your service in the name of the city of Lawrence."

"Victory" by Hayes was then sung by a chorus of Lawrence High school pupils. The selection was encored.

At the business session the question of having a permanent home for the association was discussed and Peabody was suggested as a good place for it. Mr. Beckwith of Salem moved that the next convention be held in Peabody and it was so voted. Action on the matter of making Peabody the permanent place of meeting was postponed.

The report of the treasurer, George W. Crook of Newburyport, showed a balance of \$46.51 in the treasury.

President McKee announced that an invitation had been extended to all the teachers to visit the Pacific and Washington mills and the new High school building.

The matter of changing the afternoon program was discussed, but a motion to change it failed to pass.

The following committees were appointed:

Committee on resolutions: Supt. Harold Chase of Swampscott, Supt. Freeman Putney of Gloucester, Supt. W. O. Cartwright of Georgetown.

Committee on nominations: Principal S. B. Paul of Haverhill; Supt. J. W. Perkins of Salem and Principal B. Brown of Amesbury.

The first address was by Prof. Waldo S. Pratt of the Hartford Theological seminary who spoke on "Music in Popular Education."

Prof. Pratt emphasized as the two great objects of musical study in popular education the general culture and the prominence of music in modern society makes necessary and the reaction of such study on the mind and character of the student. He then urged that three purposes should be kept in view in practicing music: First, to reach all pupils with such work in a way to interest them, taking special pains to provide for the backward and the reluctant; second, to increase the attention to demonstrative or illustrative work so as to supply the thirst for information and stimulus; and third, to take pains to give more historical, biographical and scientific facts about music so as to increase the intellectual interest of the subject. In closing the speaker expressed the belief that all these purposes could be worked out in connection with the practical study of singing with beneficial results.

At the close of Mr. Pratt's address, Chairman McKee announced that Principal Stone of Salem had declined to serve on the committee on resolutions and in the latter's stead he appointed Principal Harry L. Pierce of Haverhill. The following were named on the auditing committee: Supt. Gifford of Marblehead, Principal Ford of this city and Principal Johnson of Newburyport.

The chairman announced that there would be no intermission and he suggested that the committees meet in the ante-room.

He announced that \$150 was needed

to defray the expenses of the convention and that it was desired that \$200 be raised. The collection was then taken.

When quiet was regained Miss Lena A. Robertson of the Nahant High school was presented. Her vocal solo "The Dying Flower," was finely rendered and she delighted her audience with her sweet soprano voice.

The chairman then announced that Mayor Leonard had offered to provide escorts for those who desired to visit the Pacific mills. Those who desired to go on the tour of inspection were instructed to meet at the hall a 1 o'clock. The program was somewhat changed at this point and the reports of committees were called for.

The auditing committee reported that the accounts were found satisfactory and the report was accepted.

The report of the committee on resolutions was next read as follows:

"The Essex County Teachers' Convention, assembled in its seventy-second annual convention at Lawrence, Mass., Nov. 1, 1901: "Resolved (1) That the thanks of the association be expressed to His Honor, James F. Leonard, mayor of the city of Lawrence, for his cordial and helpful words of welcome; to the city council of Lawrence for the use of city hall; to Mr. W. W. Keays and the members of the Lawrence High school chorus for the delightful musical entertainment; to Miss Robertson of Nahant High school for her excellent solo; to the speakers of the morning for their words of wisdom and inspiration; to the citizens of Lawrence for their abundant hospitality especially to the ladies of the several churches for their efficient service; to the officers of the association for their faithful service and untiring efforts to make the exercises of the convention a success; and to all others whose services have been freely rendered to increase the efficiency of the convention."

(2) That the thanks of the association be expressed to the Boston & Maine R. R. for its courtesy in arranging special train service at reduced rates and to the L. L. & H. Street Railway Co. for its kindness in providing special cars."

(3) That these resolutions be printed and copies be sent to His Honor, James F. Leonard, to the city council of Lawrence, to Dr. J. Flanders, general ticket agent of the Boston & Maine R. R., to Supt. Bruce of the Haverhill division of the L. L. & H., to the president of the association and to the president of the Essex county."

W. O. Cartwright of Georgetown gained the floor and told the convention that in his opinion no thanks were due the Boston & Maine railroad or the Boston & Northern street railway company for the special train service. He said that he had come from below Haverhill and cars that were packed and "so far as special rates are concerned," he continued, "the special rates are unworthy of so large a corporation as the Boston & Maine. The fares, I think, were about \$9 and to all others who were about \$2.30 per cent."

Mr. Pierce of Haverhill said that it was a time-honored custom to thank the companies for the special train and that that was the reason for his bodying that section in the resolutions. The chairman of the convention said that as far as he was concerned, the Boston & Northern street railway company had provided liberally.

It was then voted to accept so much of the report as did not apply to the Boston & Maine railroad and the Boston & Northern street railway company. By this action, section two was stricken out and a portion of section three.

The report of the committee on nomination was then read and accepted and by unanimous vote the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the candidates. The report was as follows, for officers for 1902:

President—W. P. Beckwith, Salem.

Vice-President—Francis Hassittine, Lynn.

Secretary—A. E. Tuttle, Haverhill.

Treasurer—Hector L. Bellis, Lawrence.

Councillors—L. L. Burrington, Peabody, W. O. Cartwright, Georgetown, and R. M. Johnson, Newburyport.

Representatives to the Massachusetts Teachers' association—Principal James D. Horne, Lawrence, and Principal Batchelder, Gloucester.

Luther Gulick of the Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., was next introduced for the reading of a paper on "Some Differences in the Development of Character in Boys and Girls."

Mr. Gulick delighted his listeners with the bright, intelligent manner in which he handled his subject. A little story and a witty remark now and then kept his listeners in good spirits and rendered his paper decidedly pleasant and interesting.

The speaker traced the development of character in boys and girls from earliest childhood and showed the great difference which comes into the character of the boys and girls at a certain age.

He closed his very interesting and instructive paper by reading from "Benbow's Princess" showing that man and woman, fundamentally different, are coming together.

The morning session then adjourned.

Mr. Herman Kirsh will celebrate his birthday in the immediate circle of his relatives and friends tonight.

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Daily Vandeville - 5 Cents.

There is a new comedy "on the
boards" at the present time, that no
Andover citizen can afford to miss.
Inasmuch as it is a sort of "continued
performance" show, it is safe to invite
any who have thus far been deprived
of its delights, to go almost any time
and enjoy it. We refer to the half
hourly change of cars at the transfer
station in Lawrence. The performance
is solely an "Andover benefit,"
and to be seen at its best should be
enacted with either a very "smart" or
a very "stupid" conductor as the "star"
of the cast. As the Lawrence line has
an abundant supply of either, there is
sure to be some time in each day when
a "dress rehearsal" may be seen.

The first act usually opens with a
call from Mr. Conductor to "all
change." If it is either "smart" or
"greeny," he adds to the delight of the
audience by telling all to leave by the
rear door where they meet the incoming
bodies who have learned from the
regular conductor that they should
enter at that very door themselves.
One lands after some exertion and
pushing—in the mud, on the wrong
side of the car he is to change to, and
meets with the order "go round to the
other door." This happens if you are
lucky; if you are not lucky, you find
the other car "gone," yourself without a
transfer, and the privilege in your
grasp of paying another fare or walking
down Essex street.

The second act has meanwhile been
enjoyed by the invading forces, who
took your place in the car for Andover.
They, like you, had pushed and pulled
themselves into the right and wrong
doors, and settled themselves in com-
fortable seats all ready for the jour-
ney. But just then the conductor
awakes, and discovers that the seats
must be turned over, and you right
about face and look pleasant during the
confusion. You look pleasant in fact
than does the worthy "star performer"
when he asks for fare and listens to
your statement "I paid once" with a sort of "you-lee" air.

If you get into the wrong car, on ac-
count of a slip in the clock-like order
and good management at the transfer
station, the real star performer will do
a high class vaudeville act in calling
you stupid, breaking the bell rope to
stop the car, and ordering you to
"hurry up and get out."

A genuine side splitting extra per-
formance may be secured by any pas-
senger who has the courage to suggest
that the management have a man
ready to follow outgoing passengers
from the car and prepare the seats for
the new passengers; such advice is con-
sidered very much out of place and
almost brings apoplexy to the recipient.

Many constant attendants at the
opera house have entirely abandoned
that diversion as an entertainment,
and substituted an hour's study of what
is not known about running a street
car for public consumption.

N. B. The Townsman makes no
charge for advertising this show. If
any patron fails to secure the worth of
his money because of riding with one
of the regular and efficient conductors,
we will give him a reserved seat for
another performance, sure to be
enacted when the substitutes come on.

The Election.

While there was a very light vote
cast in Andover last Tuesday, there
was still considerable interest among
the more active political leaders in
town. It was an interest that went
beyond the local result how-
ever, and news of the result in New
York was eagerly sought, and highly
gratifying when it was secured. There
were many very interesting side lights
to the local senatorial fight, not the
least such being the declaration of a
prominent gentleman that he voted for
one candidate because a gentleman he
disliked was actively supporting the
other candidate. It would be sad to
consider the possible position of this
man if the subject of his dislike should
lend his support to some great moral
or religious movement.

Apart from the Senatorial contest,
in which Mr. Frost secured a very
handsome victory, there were no local
contests. The various county officials
were all strongly endorsed, and the
Middleton gentleman who secured the
representative nomination had an al-
most unanimous election. The work
of the precinct officers was performed
most expeditiously and deserves recog-
nition.

"General Apathy" Elected.

It is probable that Andover has sel-
dom cared less about her vote, than
she did last Tuesday. Such a con-
clusion is certainly justified by the vote
cast, and by the very great reluctance
to come to the polls shown by many of
those who voted.

But while it made very little dif-
ference this year, we are inclined to
think it is a dangerous condition to get
into when more than forty per cent of
the voters in a community neglect to
use their right to vote. Some day,
"General Apathy" will lead a retreat
under such conditions, and the wrong
man will get into office, and the wrong
principle will triumph. There were
many "first steps" taken toward such
an end last Tuesday.

ELECTION DAY

Little Interest in Andover and a Light
Vote is Cast—Frost Carries the
District.

Andover's election returns plainly
demonstrated that there was little in-
terest in any of the state election con-
tests outside of the three-cornered fight
between Archie N. Frost, the regular
Republican nominee, George G. Freder-
ick of Methuen, the bolting Republican,
and Amedee Cloutier of Lawrence, the
Democratic candidate for the office from
this district.

As was expected, Frederick cut into
Frost's vote somewhat in town but not
to such an extent as many Frederick
men predicted. Frost went out of And-
over with 225 votes to the good and it
was largely owing to the loyal support
of the Republicans in this town that he
obtained his election. In Methuen,
Frederick's home town, Frost got many
more votes than were conceded to him,
getting 306 while Frederick obtained
506 and Cloutier 168. Frost's plurality
over Cloutier was 225, a narrow margin
but under the circumstances, a big
victory.

The polls opened in the Town hall at
6.30 o'clock. The day was bright and
pleasant, regular Republican weather,
but it was painfully evident before
many hours had passed that it was an
"off year." Both parties had men at
work checking off names and looking up
tardy voters but it seemed almost im-
possible to get the vote out. Many men
right in the vicinity of the Square dis-
torted this year, not taking sufficient
interest in the candidates to take the
trouble to go to the polls.

The first one to vote was Frank L.
Cole, followed immediately by William
E. Burtt, Joseph A. Sullivan, Henry A.
Russell, Charles A. Morse and Chief
Frye. The first 100 ballots were cast
before 9 o'clock in Precinct 1 and before
noon about 150 more votes were regis-
tered in the ballot box. The voters
came in rapidly at noon and marked
their ballots, but between three and half
past four every few citizens avail-
themselves of their prerogatives. It
was voted during the early afternoon,
that the polls be closed at 4.30 o'clock,
and at that time 543 votes had been cast
in Precinct 1, with 114 more in Precinct 2.

The first set of counters, consisting of
M. T. Welch, Patrick J. Duane, Nesbit
G. Gleason and H. S. Stillings, started
at 9.45 on the first block and counted
steadily until noon. After dinner an-
other set of counters made up of Benja-
min F. Smith, Jr., Charles A. Morse,
Charles A. Donnan and Daniel Collins
commenced work. Both sets used the
board counters, being enabled thereby
to make rapid progress. All the votes
had been counted in less than 15 min-
utes after the polls closed and the pre-
cinct officers soon finished up the work
of taking off the totals and verify-
ing the results.

The total vote of the town was 657,
very light for Andover, even in an "off
year."

The precinct officers this year were
as follows:
Precinct 1, warden, G. A. Higgins;
deputy warden, F. H. Hardy; clerk, W.
J. Burns; deputy clerk, Daniel A. Col-
lins; inspectors, Louis A. Dane, William
J. Doherty; deputy inspectors, M. J.
Crowley, Charles A. Morse.

Precinct 2, warden, Howell F. Wilson;
deputy warden, Frank E. Parkhurst;
clerk, Owen F. Caffrey; deputy clerk,
John J. Burke, inspectors, Nathan E.
Meers, Daniel H. Poor, deputy in-
spectors, Joel E. Newcomb, Martin J.
McKeon.

When the result of the ballot was an-
nounced at half past five there were a
scant half dozen citizens in the hall,
aside from the election officers.

Andover's vote was as follows:

GOVERNOR.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Berry, A.	7	0	7
Crane, R.	391	61	452
Lewis, P.	6	6	12
Quincy, D.	117	37	154
Wrenn, S.	6	1	7

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Bates, R.	395	62	457
Coughlin, D.	102	39	141
Jones, S.	3	0	3
Partridge, P.	8	5	13
White, S.	10	0	10

SECRETARY.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Clark, P.	9	7	16
Dennett, S.	8	0	8
O'Flaherty, S.	3	0	3
Olin, R.	391	57	448
Stone, D.	99	35	134

TREASURER.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Batchelder, P.	11	5	16
Bosworth, S.	8	0	8
Bradford, R.	384	57	441
Chalifoux, D.	100	39	139
Nagler, S.	2	0	2

AUDITOR.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Dean, D.	105	38	143
Keefe, S.	1	0	1
Smith, P.	9	7	16
Thompson, S.	6	2	8
Turner, R.	381	54	435

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Coffin, P.	11	6	17
Hargraves, S.	4	0	4
Parker, R.	376	54	430
Putnam, D.	109	40	149
Spelman, S.	5	1	6

COUNCILLOR—SIXTH DISTRICT.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Benoit, S.	8	0	8
Buttrick, P.	9	7	16
Fletcher, D.	103	38	141
Howe, R.	379	54	433

SENATOR—FIFTH ESSEX DISTRICT.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Cloutier, D.	114	40	154
Duffy, S.	1	0	1
Frederick, R.	327	52	379
Frost, R.	9	2	11
Searle, P.	5	1	6
Tepper, S.	5	1	6

REP. IN GENERAL COURT.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Maurice E. Tyler, R.	371	62	433
Scattering	3	0	3

COUNTY COMMISSIONER—ESSEX.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
Bates, R.	376	57	433
Jackman, S.	7	2	9
Newhall, D.	104	37	141
Underhill, P.	11	5	16

CLERK OF COURTS.			
	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Total
George, D.	413	70	483
Gillen, S.	36	8	44

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Anniversary and Ladies' Night.

The very large number of lady and
gentlemen friends of Andover lodge, No.
250, L. O. O. F., who gathered at the
lodge rooms in the "Mugrover block"
Wednesday evening, at the invitation of
the lodge, had especial cause to congrat-
ulate themselves on their good fortune
in being present to see and hear such
excellent entertainers as were the Mar-
shall children of Roxbury.

The occasion was an anniversary and
also a ladies' night so that the audience
was a very large one, completely filling
the hall. Aside from the entertain-
ment, there was the promise of dancing
during the latter part of the evening
which materially assisted in bringing
out a large gathering.

The Marshall family, three sisters,
Ethelyn, Gertrude and Edith, appeared
before the Odd Fellows once before sev-
eral years ago so that their talents were
well recognized in town. Since their
last appearance they have matured
somewhat and are now much more ca-
pable of giving a superior performance.

Wednesday evening the audience was
carried away by the readings and char-
acter sketches given by Ethelyn, the
oldest sister, who also assisted in the
bell ringing, xylophone selection and as
accompanist to her sisters in the violin
and cello duet. Miss Gertrude sang
and danced in costume and also played
on the bells, xylophone and violin, and
the younger sister played the cello.
Every number pleased the audience im-
mensely and required an encore which
was generously given in every case.
Mrs. Marshall acted as accompanist.

The entertainment began at a quarter
to eight and lasted until half past nine.
Dancing was then begun, continuing
with an intermission when ice cream
was served, until 12 o'clock. The And-
over band orchestra under the leader-
ship of Arthur Bliss, furnished the
music.

Many of the gentlemen who did not
care for the dancing played cards and
held an informal "smoke talk" in the
ante room.

Those who attended Wednesday night
are indebted to the lodge for a very
delightful evening's enjoyment.

Cuthill Benefit.

To say that the Cuthill benefit concert
in the Town hall last Friday evening
was not what the large audience which
completely filled the hall anticipated, is
putting it very mildly. Held for a most
worthy object, the concert appealed to
the people of all classes in town who
turned out in force to hear a lecture on
"A Trip Through Scotland," illustrated
with stereoscopic views.

The committee who secured the en-
tertainers thought they were getting
first-class artists and ones who would be
capable of furnishing an evening of rare
pleasure to Andover citizens, especially
that portion of the community claiming
Scotland for a native land. But, alas!
their expectations were doomed to re-
main unrealized, as they were compelled
to acknowledge after the hour and a
half of agony, with scarcely a redeeming
feature, was ended.

The lecturer and the other artists
were members of Clan McPhail of Wake-
field, and they came well recommended,
which accounts for the laudatory press
notices and extensive advertising. Aside
from the singing of Miss Proven, who
sang "Will ye no come back again?" as
a picture of a Highlander leaving his
wife for the war was thrown on the
screen, the performance was decidedly
mediocre. Other features were solos by
Thomas Stewart, tenor, James Robinson,
baritone, and a bagpipe solo by John
Anderson, chief of Clan McPhail.

While many of the views were excel-
lent, their merit was hardly recognizable
after the weak and inefficient manner in
which they were explained or allowed to
pass unnoticed altogether by the lec-
turer, A. Anderson. Perhaps, as has
been suggested, the audience got its
money's worth in amusement over Mr.
Anderson's peculiar pronunciation and
dialect.

A Musical Treat.

Alvin E. Tough furnished the enter-
tainment for the regular fortnightly
meeting of the Andover Burns club held
last Saturday evening. The program
consisted of songs, duets, quartets, negro
melodies and orchestral performances
reproduced by phonograph. Mr. Tough
owns an excellent machine and has a
most interesting and pleasing collection
of up-to-date and popular pieces, which
were thoroughly enjoyed and roundly
applauded by the large number of mem-
bers present.

A rising vote of thanks to Mr. Tough
brought to a close another of those most
enjoyable entertainments the members
of the Burns club are privileged to en-
joy.

Thomas E. Rhodes will give one of his
interesting talks at the next meeting of
the club, subject to be announced later.

Abbot Academy Club.

The first meeting of the year of the
Abbot Academy club, was held at the
Vendome, Boston, last Saturday after-
noon.

The afternoon was given up to the en-
joyment of Norwegian music as ren-
dered in a charming manner by Mrs.
Anne Cross, and an orchestra of eight
young women.

Mrs. Cross, between the selections,
gave descriptions of the life, customs
and traditions of the people of Norway,
Sweden and Denmark with short
sketches of the lives of their great com-
posers and musicians, and the manner
in which the old folk lore and songs
have been handed down.

In the social hour which followed, tea
was served.

To the Public of Andover.

After four years' experience with the
late firm of Tuttle & Morrison in build-
ing wagons and carriages and repairing,
I have purchased the entire wood stock
of said firm and opened up a shop on
Park street next door to Higgins' stables,
where I purpose to do building and re-
pairing at short notice and reasonable
prices. Call and find out for yourself.

Yours truly,
GEO. W. BAILEY.

Fall dress-goods arriving daily at
Farr's Remnant Store, 35 Appleton
street, Lawrence.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL BUILDING.

Contract Awarded to Worcester Firm
With Old Andover Boy as Superin-
tendent of Construction.

The contract for the new building at
Phillips, for use of the new department
of archaeology, has been awarded to
J. W. Bishop, Co. of Providence and
Worcester. Work here began on the
same day and it will be of interest to
Andover people to learn that the super-
intendent of construction will be Arthur
F. Hill, an old Andover boy and well
known to many in our town.

Mr. Hill states that every preference
will be given to local workmen in doing
the work on the building, and he is
already engaging some help for his needs.
It is expected that work will begin at
once and it will be pushed as rapidly as
possible.

Cantata by West Church Choir.

The West church choir gave the can-
tata, "The Wreck of the Hesperus," in
the Grange hall last evening, under the
direction of John Batchelder. Many
people from the centre attended, besides
those from the immediate vicinity.
Ammon Richardson's barge furnished
conveyance.

The chorus was assisted by Louis A.
Dane, tenor, Harry H. Noyes, bass, and
Brook Blomquist, soprano, soloists. The
cantata was finely rendered, the singers
showing the results of careful training.
Before the cantata a program of un-
usual merit was rendered by local and
out of town talent. Those from town
were Edward R. Foster, Master Broke
Blomquist, Miss Eleanor Brooks and
Harry H. Noyes. Miss Josephine A.
Knight, of Boston, charmed with her
sweet voice and expressive rendition.

The program was as follows:
Peasant Wedding March. Soloist, Mr. Edward Foster.

REID & HUGHES REID & HUGHES

Important Announcement

ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7th,
WE OPENED OUR NEW

Wall Paper Department

And it will be an occasion of the greatest importance to our patrons in Lawrence, the Andovers and Methuens—for it is our intention to follow the same business principles in this department as has marked the success of our merchandising through the whole store—to sell Wall Papers at regular Dry Goods Store Prices; and if in the past High Grade Wall Papers have been considered a luxury by the average housekeeper, NOW the situation differs, and we will enable you to decorate the walls of your home "fit for a king" at an exceedingly small outlay. Our Regular Wall Paper Department is on Second Floor. But we have inaugurated a Great Special Clearance Sale of the Stock bought from W. E. Rice & Co. BEGINNING FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, IN OUR THIRD FLOOR EXHIBITION HALL, in Lots as follows:—

Lot 1—500 rolls Wall Paper, suitable for bedrooms, kitchens or back halls. W. E. Rice price was 5c; our price 2c Roll

Lot 2—1000 rolls Wall Paper, handsome designs for dining, sitting or bedrooms. W. E. Rice & Co. price was 10c. Clearance Sale Price, 5c Roll

Lot 3—All Wall Paper which W. E. Rice & Co. sold up to 25c, in 6, 8 and 10 roll lots. Clearance Sale Price, 10c Roll

Lot 4—Over 1500 rolls, which was sold by W. E. Rice & Co. at 30c, 35c, 40c and 45c. Choice, 15c Roll

Note!

About 500 rolls, odd lots of 5 and 6 rolls each—will be marked at a quick clearance price—and if you have a small room to paper it is a grand opportunity.

PARK STREET and
MANSION HOUSE
..STABLES.

WILLIAM H. HIGGINS, - Proprietor

Carriages meet all Boston & Maine Trains.

NOTE.—Having purchased the Mansion House Stables, I have a number of horses and carriages for sale at reasonable prices as I have now more than necessary for my business.



Proper Picture Frames

If all frames were alike it would not matter where you had them made. But they are not all alike. There is as much difference as there is in the people that order them. Our frames are not only low in price, but they are artistic in make-up and give proper effect to the picture. It wouldn't be a bad idea to give us a chance to show you how "different" ours are from the other fellows.

CEO. CLAYTON,
204 Essex Street, Lawrence, Mass.
Just Below Post Office.

Frye Village.

Rev. and Mrs. Markham Stackpole of Magnolia, have returned from their wedding journey and have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith.

A picket fence has been constructed on both sides of the bridge over the Shawheen on Haverhill street. This was thought to be a necessary precaution after the drowning accident a short time since.

The wall opposite the estate of Messrs. Curran and Joyce is now nearly completed.

Call at Farr's Remnant Store, Lawrence, before purchasing your fall dress goods.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.



The Wife Who Is Good to Her Husband.

See to it that his linen is laundered in the finest and best manner, and for this reason she sends it to the Andover Steam Laundry, where the facilities, skill and experience in the finest work of this kind cannot be excelled. The linen sent here lasts longer and looks better always.

The Andover Steam Laundry,
W. H. GIBSON.

A Handsome Exhibition.

One would have to go far and look a long time before he could find a more beautiful display of chrysanthemums than may be found next week at the greenhouses of J. Harry Playdon on Lowell street, Frye Village. There are quantities of them, great handsome fellows on strong, sturdy stems, each a flower show in itself. Put them all together and they make a display that would be very difficult to excel and, very likely will not be equalled in Andover.

Mr. Playdon will hold his annual exhibition next week when the beautiful blooms are at their very best, and he will be glad to welcome any one who comes to see them. His violets, the big, fragrant, single Princess variety, are just beginning to come out well, so that he also has a good many of them in his violet house. An admirer of flowers will find lots to exclaim over at Mr. Playdon's next week. At present the pinkies are not yet quite out as he has been holding them back a little longer this year than usual, but the plants and their full buds give promise of a magnificent display before long.

But it is around the chrysanthemums that the interest centres at this time. Mr. Playdon's biggest success is the Queen, a great, mammoth fellow, with incurving petals, shading from cream white to a delicate pink. He has won first prizes with this variety for four years back at the flower shows.

Then there is the Japanese Reflex, whiter and thicker and with longer petals than the Queen, but not such a handsome shape. His Peter K is yellow and shaggy, and a beauty. In fact, they are all beauties. The J. K. Shaw is a lovely shade of pink, not very large but finely formed. The Major Bonafon is also yellow, with compact, incurving petals like the Queen.

Then there are the white and pink ivy chrysanthemums, with small, delicate petals making a ball shaped flower; the Wamaker, splendid, big, white fellows, with a yellow tinge; the George West; the Belle of Castlewood, a flat, big petalled variety of a "day break" shade, and others.

Take a day off next week and go down to see them; it will repay you.

Election Returns at Townsman Office.

The Townsman office was the headquarters for the election returns, Tuesday evening, and a number of people availed themselves of the opportunity to learn how the election went.

Direct connection with the Lawrence Telegram, which employs the Associated Press service, enabled the interested ones in this office to learn shortly after 7 o'clock that Crane had carried the state by about 70,000. About an hour later, Low's election was conceded by the leading New York papers, his strength being especially manifest in Brooklyn borough. The towns and Lawrence began to make their returns on the senatorial contest and Frost stock looked hopeful.

By 10 o'clock the news came on the wire that Frost had a lead of about 550 votes from the towns to offset Cloutier's plurality in Lawrence, and that he would win by about 250 votes. Word was also received of Low's victory by about 30,000 and Jerome's triumph over the Tammany candidate by something like 11,000 votes, a low estimate it proved later.

Thus it may be seen that those few people who sought the Townsman office were posted on the results correctly and at an early hour.

New Church Swedenborgian Meetings.

Services will be held Sunday, Nov. 10, in Remmes Hall, 184 Salem street, Lawrence, at 4 o'clock, p. m., by Rev. Jas. Reed of Boston, general pastor of the Massachusetts New Church association. Subject, "The Church Our Spiritual Mother."

A SUCCESSFUL OPENING.

The Optical Parlors of Reid & Hughes under new management seems to have met with popular favor, judging from the busy scene presented at their opening yesterday—but that is only logical, for they are modern Optical Parlors—under the management of a man thoroughly competent, and with all the modern scientific instruments to skillfully examine your eyes, thus insuring safety as well as making mistakes impossible, and imparting confidence to their many patrons. To still further advertise and introduce their New Optical Parlors Reid & Hughes will for the next ten days sell their genuine \$3.00 Gold Spring Eye Glasses for 98c a pair—and remember they will be fitted with the best lenses, and your eyes as carefully examined as if you paid \$10.00 for them. The boys and girls also need glasses, and if you are in doubt about your children's eyes send them to this modern optical department and let them have their eyes examined. It will cost you nothing as all examinations of the eyes are free of charge and if they need help they will be told so and then parents can decide for themselves. It will not be necessary for you to buy because of the examination. Remember the Optical Parlors are on the 2nd floor.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

J. H. PLAYDON

ANNOUNCES HIS ANNUAL

FALL

Chrysanthemum

DISPLAY

ALL NEXT WEEK

EVERYBODY WELCOME!
DON'T MISS IT!

The Frye Village Florist

Telephone 21-4.

Golf-Tournament.

A Ladies' Golf tournament was held at the Andover Golf club links last Saturday afternoon. Three cups were offered, one for the best gross score, won by Miss Elizabeth Smith, who also made the best net score, one for the best net score and one for the next best net score.

The cup for the best net score was won by Miss Esther Smith in the play off of the tie with Miss Alice Bell. Mrs. William H. Higgins and Miss Mary Smith were tied for the second best net score and Mrs. Higgins won that.

Following are the entries and scores:

	Gross	Hndcp	Net
Miss Elizabeth Smith	56	0	56
Mrs. H. B. Lewis	63	0	63
Miss Helen Marland	62	4	58
Miss Mary Smith	60	8	58
Miss Esther Smith	68	12	56
Mrs. Wm. H. Higgins	74	16	58
Miss Marion Paine	76	14	62
Miss Alice Bell	72	14	56
Mrs. Brooks	96	20	76
Miss Mary Bell	90	16	74
Miss Evelyn Beed	110	20	82
Miss Bessie Goodhue	132	20	82
Miss Edith Carey	71	10	61

The Planets.

Soon after sunset there can now be seen in the southwest an unusual array of four planets, Mars, Venus, Jupiter and Saturn. Mars is nearest the horizon and the other three planets are found in an easterly direction from Mars in the order named above.

A little attention will enable anyone to see that all these planets are now moving eastward and with different velocities. Venus will overtake and pass Jupiter on the 18th inst. and Saturn on the 19th inst. Jupiter will overtake and pass Saturn on the 28th inst. Mars will overtake and pass Saturn and Jupiter in about a month.

For some time it has been interesting to notice the change of positions of Jupiter and Saturn with reference to the stars in the "milk dipper" in Sagittarius.

If the sky is clear on the evening of the 12th inst. the conjunction will be seen in conjunction with Venus, Jupiter and Saturn.

Through to Wakefield.

"The cars on the Lawrence & Andover road now run from Reading to Lawrence and return without changing, a convenience greatly appreciated by through passengers."

With the completion of the extension to Wakefield it is promised that that town will become the terminus and Reading an intermediate station. The grading through the Willows is nearly completed, but it is not expected that the road will be in running condition before spring.

Work will be commenced on the Wakefield Park branch shortly.

Reading Chronicle.

Over the Telephone.

Mrs. Blank, (ringing up Central). "Hello, hello, Central. I want 9272, Wood & Cole's stove store."
"Hello. Is this Wood & Cole's?"
"I want to speak to Mr. Wood."
"You'll call him? All right."
"Hello. This is Mrs. Blank. Why don't you come up to our house as you promised to. Our fire is all out and we want it attended to right away."
"Please don't try to make any excuses for I don't want to hear them."
"What? Who do I think I am talking to? Why, to Mr. Wood of Wood & Cole, stove dealers, of course."
"You're not? You're the fire department! Goodness! Well, we don't need you because we haven't any fire, but we wish we had. Good-by."

BALLARDVALE.

Miss Amy Gale of Boston was the guest Sunday of Mrs. Charlotte C. Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greenwood and daughter Etta spent Sunday with relatives in the Vale.

Tancred O'Heir of the well known firm of Roy & O'Heir, of Lowell, was the guest Thursday of John W. Scott.

Thomas Riley has accepted a much more lucrative position in Woodville, N. H.

John H. Clinton and family have moved into their new home on Whittier street, Andover.

A full line of fall dress-goods, remnants, now ready for your inspection at Farr's Remnant Store, 38 Appleton street, Lawrence.

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"I had a good job on hand, last night," said the first burglar, "but I was stopped by an open faced watch."
"Get out!"
"Fact! It was a bulldog in the yard."
—Philadelphia Record.

"The superstition which prevailed in the middle ages is hard to understand in this enlightened era," remarked the optimist.
"Yes," answered the man who prides himself on being a chilly proposition; "it does seem surprising that the palmists and astrologers and other fortune tellers of those days shouldn't have been wise enough to advertise their business as they do now."—Washington Star.

The Damsel—But this is such a queer, unromantic way to propose to a girl, Mr. Wellup. In the daytime, and on the way to a suburban train.

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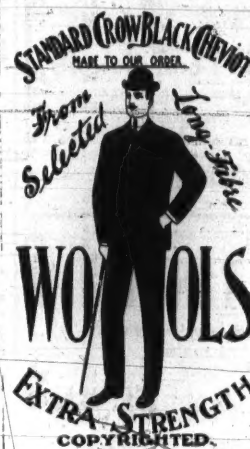
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ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Andover, 2 Goals; North Ends, 1.

The Andover Association Football team won its second game last Saturday, defeating the North Ends of Lawrence, in a close and exciting contest, by the narrow margin of one goal. The local team put up a fine game and scored two goals to their opponents one. The Andover team as at present composed is a strong one and will meet the eleven representing the Merrimack Cricket club at Burnham Park, Saturday. The latter organization is a strong one and there will be a tussle for the victory.

The following team will represent Andover: Goal, D. O'Connell; backs, J. Falconer and Black; half backs, J. Cairnie, Haddon and Smyth; forwards, T. Lynch, Hibbert, Lowe, D. Falconer, R. Cairnie. Car leaves the Square at 1.30.

A game will be played on the Andover cricket grounds Thanksgiving day, to which an admission fee will be charged. At a meeting of the club Wednesday evening two representatives were chosen to attend a meeting to be held soon to take steps toward the formation of an Association football league in the district. The game is evidently due for a boom.

NOT SURE ENOUGH DEATH.

"So you object to piano playing?"
"I do," answered the boarder who wears a continuous scowl.
"What is your principal objection to it?"

"The fact that it is not dangerous to the performer, like bicycling or automobile driving."—Washington Star.

FOOTBALL

Holy Cross, 37; Andover, 5.

Holy Cross had no trouble in defeating Andover last Saturday afternoon in a game which abounded in trick plays and delays on the part of the visitors. During the first half Andover just about held her own, but went to pieces completely in the second half, Holy Cross being able to score at will, as the score shows. In the first half both got goals from the field, Andover's being the more difficult, and the visitors secured a touchdown by straight football besides, making the score 10 to 5.

Hecksher was not up to his form in the end, but Watkins made up for it by practically playing both ends. On the whole, the local team played decidedly weak football, while their opponents broke through, opened up holes and made long runs almost at will, especially in the second half.

HOLY CROSS. ANDOVER.

Kelley 1 e r e Watkins, (Overall)
Noon (Lawlor) 1 t r t Dutcher
O'Neil 1 g r g Cartwright
McCabe c e Thompson
Foley r g g g Kinney (Chase)
Rice r t t Cates (Thayer, Kinney)
O'Connor r e e e Hecksher (Clark)
Larkin qb q b Sumner (Washington)
Mercer (Skelly, Sullivan) 1 h b
r h b Leavenworth (Mains)
Reagan r h b 1 h b Taylor (Humbird)
Ried (Mercer) 1 h b f b Gilbert
Score: Holy Cross 37; Phillips Andover, 5. Touchdowns: Reagan, Skelly (3) Mercer. Goals from touchdowns: Noon, Sullivan. Goals from field: Reid, Larkin, Taylor, Referee, Crowley, Umpire, Murphy, Lineemen, Grant and Shield. Timekeepers: Chase and Devine. Time, 20m halves.

ELECTION DAY

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ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS (2).

Bailey, ds	7	1	8
Berry, p	10	7	17
Crispin, d	77	30	107
Grievies, ds	6	1	7
Nelson, r	302	44	346
Stuart, r	309	44	353
Whelan, d	90	28	97

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Bradley, ds	14	2	16
Peters, r	384	61	445
Sullivan, d	102	38	140

SHERIFF.

Johnson, d, r	420	70	490
Lee, ds	28	4	32
Rand, p	16	5	21

SENATORIAL VOTE.

Andover	379	151	530
North Andover	274	159	433
Methuen	306	158	464
Lawrence	3262	3611	6873
Boxford	74	13	87
Topsheld	48	23	71
Total	4343	4118	8461

THE METHUEN VOTE.

The total number of votes cast in precinct one, Methuen, was 759, and in precinct two, 257, making the total vote in the town 1016, out of a total registration of 1398. The vote was as follows:

Precinct	1	2	Tot.
Berry S L	23	17	40
Crane, R	533	197	730
Lewis P	19	12	31
Quincy D	133	40	173
Wrenn D S	2	8	10
Blank	40	13	53

GOVERNOR.

Berry S L	23	17	40
Crane, R	533	197	730
Lewis P	19	12	31
Quincy D	133	40	173
Wrenn D S	2	8	10
Blank	40	13	53

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

Bates R	517	197	714
Coughlin D	137	38	175
Jones S L P	21	14	35
Partridge P	12	9	21
White D S	21	10	31
Blank	51	19	70

SECRETARY.

Clark P	21	17	38
Dennett D S	24	14	38
O'Felly S L P	24	12	36
Olin R	503	185	688
Stone D	110	35	145
Blank	77	30	107

TREASURER AND RECEIVER GENERAL.

Batchelder P	15	13	28
Bosworth D S	22	10	32
Bradford R	499	186	685
Chaffoux D	129	35	164
Nagler S L P	21	13	34
Blank	79	30	109

AUDITOR.

Dean D	114	35	149
Keefe S L P	21	15	36
Smith P	17	14	31
Thompson D S	22	9	31
Turner R	501	180	681
Blank	83	34	117

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Coffin P	18	13	31
Hargreaves S L P	23	14	37
Parker R	501	189	690
Putnam D	121	33	154
Speelman D S	17	8	25
Blank	79	30	109

COUNCILLOR.

Benoit D S	45	22	67
Buttrick P	16	14	30
Fletcher D	15	13	28
Howe R	459	184	643
Blank	90	34	124

SENATOR.

Coutler D	122	36	158
Duffy S L D	8	7	15
Frederick Ind R Nom P	383	123	506
Frost R	205	101	306
Searle P	8	7	15
Tepper D S	11	7	18
Blank	6	22	28

REPRESENTATIVE, 6th DISTRICT.

Bridge, P	22	16	38
Buxwell, R	453	169	622
Dame, D	334	82	416
Ebert, R	338	156	494
Holt S L P	15	14	29
Mulier D	123	50	173
O'Brien, D S	11	9	20
Orff P	11	7	18
Smith, S	8	7	15
Stringer D S	21	9	30
Blank	182	52	234

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Bates, R	493	187	680
Jackman, D S	32	16	48
Newhall, D	118	36	154
Underhill, P	15	14	29
Blank	100	34	134

ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS.

Bailey, D S	33	14	47
Berry P	19	16	35
Crispin, D	98	34	132
Grievies, D S	28	14	42
Nelson, R	456	170	626
Stuart, R	447	176	623
Whelan, D	89	30	119
Blank	352	129	481

CLERK OF COURT.

George, D, R	549	197	746
Gillen D S	65	31	96
Blank	145	59	204

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Bradley D S	42	19	61
Peters, R	522	199	721
Sullivan, D	101	39	140
Blank	94	30	124

SHERIFF.

Johnson, D, R	534	185	719
Lee, D S	72	33	105
Rand, P	42	19	61
Blank	97	50	147

VOTE IN NORTH ANDOVER.

Governor.	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Tot.
Berry S L P	11	1	12
Crane R	257	82	339
Lewis P	5	0	5
Quincy D	113	51	164
Wrenn D S	3	2	5
Blank	15	5	20

Lieutenant Governor.	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Tot.
Bates R	263	81	344
Coughlin D	106	51	157
Jones S L D	21	9	30
Partridge P	2	1	3
White D S	6	4	10
Blank	16	4	20

Secretary of State.

Clark P	5	2	7
Dennett D S	11	3	14
O'Felly S L D	15	0	15
Olin R	257	82	339
Stone D	91	50	141
Blank	25	4	29

Treasurer and Receiver General.

Batchelder P	8	1	9
Bosworth D S	5	3	8
Bradford R	254	84	338
Chaffoux D	105	34	139
Nagler S L	12	0	12
Blank	20	7	27

Auditor.	Prec. 1	Prec. 2	Tot.
Dean D	97	52	149
Keefe S L	12	1	13
Smith P	12	0	12
Thompson D S	10	3	13
Turner R	249	79	328
Blank	30	6	36

Attorney General.

Hargreaves S L	12	0	12
Parker R	249	82	331
Putnam D	100	47	147
Speelman D S	7	0	7
Blank	32	10	42

Councillor.

Benoit D S	11	3	14
Buttrick P	5	0	5
Fletcher D	92	47	139
Howe R	260	79	339
Blank	36	12	48

Senator.

Coutler D	109	50	159
Duffy S L	7	2	9
Frederick R Indpt.	37	19	56
Frost R	207	67	274
Searle P	3	0	3
Tepper D S	1	1	2
Blank	19	2	21

Representative in General Court.

Tyler R	260	87	347
Blank	144	54	198

County Commissioner.

Bates R	250	76	326
Jackman D S	14	4	18
Newhall D	95	54	149
Underhill P	7	0	7
Blank	38	7	45

Associate Commissioner.

Bailey D S	10	5	15
Berry P	8	0	8
Crispin D	72	3	75
Grievies D S	21	3	24
Nelson R	210	68	278
Stuart R	208	66	274
Whelan D	80	36	116
Blank	211	68	279

District Attorney.

Bradley D S	12	6	18
Peters R	259	80	339
Sullivan D	98	46	144
Blank	35	9	44

Clerk of Court.

George D, R	291	109	400
Gillen D S	33	11	44
Blank	80	21	101

Sheriff.

Johnson D, R	293	118	411
Lee D S	25	8	33
Rand P	10	1	11
Blank	76	14	90

CRANE AGAIN.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—The Republican party in carrying Massachusetts yesterday's election as customary, suffered in the size of its vote only to an extent expected on an off year.

Governor William Murray Crane, who for the third time headed the ticket was finely endorsed, leading Hon. Josiah Quincy (Dem) by a plurality of 70,304. The complete vote gave Crane (R) 185,695 and Quincy (D) 115,391.

Other votes cast for governor were divided among the socialist labor, prohibition, and social democrats, and of these apparently the social democrats have the best showing.

The balance of the state ticket elected, entirely Republican is: Lieutenant Governor, John L. Bates of Boston; secretary of state, William M. Olin of Boston; treasurer, Edward S. Bradford of Springfield; auditor, Henry E. Turner of Malden, attorney general, Hon. Herbert Parker of Lancaster.

The governor's council includes seven Republicans and one Democrat as last year. The members are: David F. Slade (R) of Fall River; Arthur A. Maxwell, (R) of Boston; Henry D.

Verza (R) of Cambridge, Jeremiah A. McNamara (D) of Boston, David I. Robinson (R) of Gloucester, S. Herbert Howe (R) of Marlboro, Lucius Field (R) of Clinton, Julius H. Appleton (R) of Springfield.

Only the single incident of the Democrats carrying Boston by a plurality, greatly in excess of the other towns, in the story, and this is admitted on both sides to be due to the coming municipal election. Quincy carried Boston by 7699, he having 39,155 and Crane 31,456. The Republicans made absolutely no canvas of the state, yet their loss compared with the great poll of last year was scarcely 20 per cent, while the Democrats has a loss of nine per cent. In short, apathy was shown on both sides outside of Boston. The total vote of about 308,000 votes for Governor is highest in the state for an off year.

The legislative returns show that the Democrats lost two members in the senate and gained 16 in the house of representatives, the actual political division, however, to be determined on the final settlement of several close races. On the senate side, the returns show House stands 168 Republicans and 72 Democrats, with two Social Democrats, while the Senate is 32 Republicans and seven Democrats.

Two notable contests were those on the Cape, where Senator Lunscombe (R) was defeated for a fourth term by William Nye (Ind. Rep.) by 739 votes, and in the 22d Suffolk district, Boston, for Representative, where John Bieler (R) was defeated for a sixth term by John Young, Jr. (D), although Mr. Bieler's running mate, Mr. John Duff (R) was elected.

There was a surprise in South Boston, where Thomas J. Collins (Ind. D) defeated the regular nominee for Representative.

VOTE OF THE CITIES.

Cities	—1901—	—1900—
Andover	31456	39155
Boxford	2960	1325
Cambridge	4622	3786
Chelsea	2491	1345
Chicopee	825	685
Clinton	528	328
Fall River	5129	3697
Fitchburg	1764	850
Gloucester	2154	713
Haverhill	2972	860
Holyoke	1948	2031
Lowell	5647	5065
Lynn	4608	1750
Lawrence	3524	3624
Malden	2188	649
Marlboro	1077	706
Medford	1643	551
Methuen	964	190
New Bedford	997	412
New Bedford	5163	1398
No. Adams	1624	724
Newton	2487	999
Northampton	1219	614
Pittsfield	2375	977
Quincy	1943	961
Salem	2708	1765
Springfield	4407	1914
Somerville	3849	1120
Taunton	2030	915
Worcester	7633	4623
Woburn	950	844
Waltham	1742	927

A Syrian School.

The first Arabic school ever established in the United States was opened with appropriate and interesting exercises in a finely equipped and thoroughly up-to-date little schoolroom in the building to the rear of 295 Oak street. The public school has been started by Joseph M. B. Saliba in fulfillment of a vow to God when starting out upon his career of success in this country. Saliba came to the United States about eight years ago and located in this city at the time his wife was limited to \$30. He sought employment in the mills, and began to save his money. By frugality, industry, and ability he had soon put by enough to lightly invest in real estate. Gradually his fortune grew until today most of his time is devoted to looking after about \$25,000 worth of property on Oak street near the corner of White street. He has recently erected a new block and he now owns the real estate numbering 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, and 305 Oak street. The greater portion of his wealth has accumulated in the last few years, for four years ago he had but \$500. His property is, of course, mortgaged, but he owns by far the greater interest in it.

The speakers at the opening exercises last night were Lawyer John F. Saliba, Joseph Saliba, the Rev. William E. Wolcott, Farid Bastany, H. F. Otis, and A. E. Merhege who read an original poem. The speakers addressed the assembly in the foregoing order. The schoolroom was crowded, and eager and attentive faces looked in at all of the windows. Words of encouragement and congratulation were spoken to the Syrians and the Rev. Mr. Wolcott assured them that the Americans would do all in their power to help Mr. Saliba in his good and noble work. He closed his address by wishing them all possible success.

The addresses of Mr. Saliba and Mr. Otis were given in English. They were exceptionally fine ones and are deserving of publication but space will not permit.

The schoolroom is finely fitted with new desks and chairs, is lighted by electricity, and a full supply of books is on hand with which to begin work. Study will be begun next Monday, the morning and afternoon sessions being for children and the evening sessions for adults. It will be free to all Syrian or English, Catholic or Protestant, and if necessary demands, the school will be enlarged by the addition of three more rooms. English and Arabic will be taught and numerous other studies as well. The instructor will be Farid Bastany.

The undertaking of Mr. Saliba is a big one and it is earnestly to be hoped that he will meet with every possible encouragement and success in his good work. The progress of the school will be watched with a great deal of interest by the citizens of Lawrence in general.

SPREAD LIKE WILDFIRE.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates the liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into my weak, sickly, run-down man or woman. Price, 50 cents. Sold by Arthur Bliss, Druggist."

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

North Andover News.

Chester Johnson of Lowell is spending a few days in town.

The Johnson High School Girls' Basketball team expect to play a team from Punchard for their next game.

Mr. Thomas Spurr has resigned his position as overseer of dying in Sutton mills.

E. Eugene Horner has returned from Rumford Falls; he goes immediately to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wardrop of Hodge street passed Sunday with relatives in Lowell.

Mrs. Sarah Milner of Maple avenue is spending a few days with friends in Littleton, Mass.

Joseph Hinchcliffe of Ballardvale is spending a few weeks with his son and daughter in town.

Mrs. William Knowles and daughter Anna Belle of Union street spent Monday in Collinsville.

John Holmes of Boston is spending a few days at the residence of Patrick Lynch on Second street.

Mrs. Otto Rushlin of Waverly park has returned home after a three weeks' visit in Providence, R. I.

Mrs. P. J. Sweeney of Marblehead street is improving greatly after a very severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. E. L. Perley of Main street passed Saturday at the home of her mother in Wenham, Mass.

Miss Ethel A. Jacobs has taken up her residence with her cousin Mrs. John H. Sutton at the Centre.

Contractor Dennis J. Costello is making extensive repairs at Cato farm the residence of James J. Finnigan.

Miss Clara Wensel of Salem street has returned home from Essex where she has been staying during the summer.

H. M. Stowers and family have moved into Brown's block and they will be ready for roomers in about a week.

Miss Ethel Midwood of Lowell spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Matilda Jensen at her home on Stonington street.

Winifred Towne, a student of Bowdoin college, Brunswick, Me., is visiting at the residence of M. T. Wadlin on Maple avenue.

Installation of officers of Rescue lodge of Good Templars under the direction of Deputy Myra K. Spear of Lawrence takes place tonight.

Miss Lounia Bigelow who has been residing at the home of Conductor E. C. Houghton on High street, has gone to Boston for the winter.

Herbert E. Hosmer, J. H. S. class of 1901 has accepted a position in the meter department of the Lawrence Gas company.

The Methodist board took action at its meeting this week concerning a fan drill under the direction of the Sunday school. The drill is to take place Nov. 15th.

Henry Waterhouse has resigned his position as trimmer of the electric lights and tender of the gas lights in town. William Moulton will take his place.

The Merrimack polo team of town practised with the Crescents of Lawrence Friday evening. Manager William Putnam has the suits ordered for the players.

Miss Lucy Adams of Salem, Mass., is spending a few days at the residence of J. F. Sanborn on Stonington street. Miss Adams attended the teachers' convention in Lawrence.

Mr. Alfred Facey has resigned his position as a salesman for the grocery store of his brother in Philadelphia. Mr. Facey and his daughter Emeline left for Philadelphia, Friday, Nov. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Shearer of Waverly Park are receiving congratulations over the appearance of a daughter who arrived at the home Thursday. Mr. Shearer is treating his brother officers in the local police department to cigars.

The third annual ball of the Mechanics Brass band will be held in Odd Fellows' hall, Jan. 10th, 1902. The coming occasion as on all previous ones will be made a popular and enjoyable event. The committee on arrangements have not as yet been fully elected.

Mrs. Agnes Chadwick of High street was greatly surprised Friday while looking over her raspberry bushes to find that she was able to gather a large amount of ripe red berries. These are the second crop of the season, picked on the first of November.

The Alumni association of the Johnson high school were to have held a meeting in the high school room Monday evening, but as there was not a quorum present there was no business transacted. The date of the next meeting was set as Nov. 12.

Charles Stillings and family attended the observance of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Stillings' mother, Mrs. J. Remick of South Boston, Oct. 29th. Mrs. Remick is a well preserved old lady and as smart as one many years younger. She is well known by many people in town.

John P. Murphy and Edward Costello spent Tuesday in Boston.

Miss Hildagard Espig is quite ill at her home on Middlesex street.

Alfred Kershaw announces his resignation from the Blue Stockings.

The Blue Stockings had their regular practice on the High school grounds Tuesday evening.

Miss Ruth Ramsdell of Haverhill spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Abbott in the Centre.

Mrs. L. E. Smith of Haverhill is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Alice Smith, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Targart are to occupy the new cottage being constructed by James Finney on May street.

C. Melvin Smith of Haverhill passed Tuesday and Wednesday at the residence of Richard R. Smith on Marblehead street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hinckman drove over the road, Tuesday, to Danversport. They also made a trip from there to Boston.

The private dancing class held in town hall under the instruction of Prof. W. E. Ralston received their first lesson Wednesday evening.

Jesse E. Waterhouse of Kennebunk, Me., is visiting his brother, Henry Waterhouse, on Third street, and other relatives in Lawrence.

Mr. Charles N. Remick of New York returned home Thursday after a few days visit at the residence of Mr. Charles Stillings on Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hosmer of Osgood street have gone to New York city where Mr. Hosmer is to remain until Christmas. Mrs. Hosmer will be gone a week or ten days.

William J. Leitch, Alfred Jensen and William Mitchell are attending the evening drawing school in Lawrence. The former is taking free hand and the latter two mechanical drawing.

John Finnigan, L. H. S. 1902 was again out for practice Monday afternoon with his school team and made a fair showing at half back.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brainard have returned to Millville, N. J., after spending the summer months at their residence on Marblehead street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bumpus of Oxford, Me., have returned home after spending the week at the residence of Henry White on High street.

Mrs. Edwin Whitehead and Mrs. Roberts of Haverhill have returned home after a short visit at the residence of John S. Murphy on Main street.

Mrs. Mary Donnelly and daughter Hannah of Sutton street passed Sunday in Ipswich the birthplace of the former, which she had not visited for many years.

The switch at the upper end of the turnout near Perkins drug store was out of order Monday afternoon and evening causing a number of cars to leave the track and considerable delay.

There were two offenders in police court before Judge Frye this morning. They were arrested in Lawrence and brought to town by the local police. They were fined \$1 apiece for drunkenness and \$5 each for causing a disturbance. They were taken to jail this morning, being unable to pay the fines.

In police court Saturday afternoon, three cases were brought before Judge Frye. In the case of man and wife, up for common drunks, the man was fined \$5, and the woman's case was continued. The case of an offender, up on charge of stealing a briar pipe and cushion from a team, was thrown out for want of evidence.

The first team of the Merrimack grammar school defeated the second team at a game of basketball by a score of 12 to 2 on the school grounds Monday afternoon. The first team is made up as follows: Taylor C. Broadhead, C. Barrington, C. H. Hamlin, J. Joselyn, L. Hamilton, R. G. Nell, G. Second team: Tilton C. Carey, R. C. Stowers, C. Donnelly, R. F. Doore, L. F. Cleary, G. Miller, I. G. The officials were Charles Shackleton, referee; and Principal Stacey time keeper.

Police court was again in session Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. One offender appeared before Judge Frye on the charge of drunkenness and of causing a disturbance. The two offenders fined at the morning convening appeared as witnesses. Lawyer Christopher H. Rogers of Lawrence, appeared for the defendant. Judge Frye found the man guilty and fined him \$1 for drunkenness, and \$5 for creating a disturbance. He paid his fine. The two offenders of the morning could not raise the cash and were taken away.

Master George E. Knowles, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Knowles of Union street, was surprised Friday evening at his home by a number of his young friends. The occasion had been remembered by them as being his 13th birthday and under the management of Master Arthur Reeves the affair was made a memorable one in the minds of the young people. Games and other pastimes were indulged in. Musical selections were in order and the evening was passed with much enjoyment. A choice collation was served during the evening.

Birthday Party.

The residence of Mr. Alfred Howes on High street was the scene of a most enjoyable birthday party Wednesday afternoon and evening the occasion being the birthday of their youngest son, Irving Coburn Howes. He had invited a number of his young friends and play mates and the time passed far too quickly for the little ones, who heeled the air with their shouts and peals of merry laughter, games were indulged in and piano solos by the Misses Myra Kelley and Gertrude Badger were greatly appreciated. When the young host had gathered them about him for enjoyment he was greatly surprised when Miss Charlotte Godfrey presented him with a number of nice presents in behalf of those present. By a pretty little speech as Miss Charlotte made in the presentation the gifts were received. So interested were the young people in their games that they could hardly take time to partake of their choice and tasty collation served by Mrs. Howes and Mrs. Somerville. In adding their good wishes each departed they wished him many happy returns of the day. The guests were Misses Agnes Godfrey, Charlotte Godfrey, Myra Kelley, Bertha Carr, Florence Houghton, Helen Bedell, Evelyn Gibson, Alice Hixman, Ethel Currier and Gertrude Rodgers, Masters Mason Kent, Herbert F. Goodwin and James Eriely.

Mr. Charles Drew is moving his family from Water street to Andover.

Frank Elkins passed Saturday and Sunday at his home in Kingston, N. H.

Mr. John Kay has accepted the position as overseer of dyeing in Sutton's mills.

The Good Templars have elected a committee to make arrangements for a bean supper to be held Nov. 29th.

Mrs. Thomas W. Wallwork of Winchester passed Wednesday at the home of her parent, Mrs. D. W. Carney, on Middlesex street.

The sidewalk on the upper end of High street is being built up and covered with crusher dirt, which makes the best of sidewalks.

The Eben Sutton S. F. engine company were the guests of the Veteran Firemen of Lawrence at a clam bake given by them Wednesday evening.

The junior league of the Methodist church held their regular meeting in the vestry Wednesday evening. Miss Grace Looker occupied the hour. The reports of the different officers were received and accepted.

The old Wilson place, now facing Andover street is to be moved back a number of rods. Col. Ripley the present owner intends to erect a new house on the old site in the spring, and will also build a new barn to take the place of the present one.

Work is progressing rapidly on the electric road, coming through the parish from Middleton. One hundred more men commence work as soon as they can be had and will commence work at a point about a mile from the line between North Andover and Middleton in Middleton.

The watering trough which was previously located opposite the residence of Mr. Mosher B. Meserve on Andover street has been moved to a point on Andover street near the Andover line at the end of the watermain, which Supt. Goldsmith has just finished putting in. The main extends a distance of 1550 feet from the old terminus.

Mr. Daniel A. Morse who has of late years been residing with his son John F. Morse who has for the last year lived on Main street passed away Tuesday at 11 a. m., of paralysis of the face at the age of 83 years, having been 7 months and 5 days. The deceased was born in Methuen March 31, 1818, and was for many years an expressman in Lawrence. The funeral takes place from the 1st Methodist church, Lawrence, Friday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He leaves a widow and two sons, George A. of Lawrence and John F. of town, two grand children, Warren A. of Lawrence and Mrs. B. A. Leitch of Worcester.

The Ladies' Charitable Union held their regular election of officers Wednesday afternoon. The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. John Rea; vice president, Mrs. Moses T. Stevens; treasurer, Mrs. Rea; secretary, Mrs. Barker; and a committee on benevolence for parish, Mrs. Charles H. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Maistone, Mrs. W. W. Chickering; for the Centre, Mrs. Horace Stevens, Mrs. J. C. Rea, Mrs. David Meserve. The committee on the supper served was: Mrs. W. W. Chickering, Mrs. Charles H. Robinson, Mrs. Fred Murch. The supper committee for the next meeting to be held Nov. 20th is: Mrs. F. R. Bishop, Mrs. Harry W. Clark, Miss L. Foster.

A boy, still in his teens, was taken in by Chief Marvin Tuesday evening. The offender was crazy drunk and it was with the greatest patience that Chief Marvin brought him to the station, as he was inensible alike to pain and reasoning. The boy has only been home from Bridgewater a few days. His case came up before Judge Frye Wednesday morning and he was sent back to Bridgewater for an indefinite time. Chief Marvin will take him back this afternoon.

It was roll call at the grange Tuesday evening and each member was paid a fine of five cents. Few failed to comply with the request for entertainment and a very interesting program was the result. Program in part: Piano duet, Misses Alice and Stella Barker; reading, Miss L. F. Frost; recitation, Mrs. Harry Foster; reading, Miss Angie Whittier; piano solo, Miss Grace E. Barker; talk, Walter Hayes; talk, Peter Holt; reading, Mrs. Winfield S. Hughes; reading, Arthur Brown; talk, A. N. Holt; anecdotes, Harry Foster; talk, James C. Poor. The next meeting will be Nov. 19th, the subject of the discussion is to be announced and a box party will follow the discussion.

The installation of officers took place at the regular meeting of Rescue lodge of Good Templars Tuesday evening. Mrs. Myra K. Spear, lodge deputy of Lawrence, was present; J. W. Richardson, installing marshal and Miss Mae Kirk, installing deputy marshal of Lawrence, were also present.

The following officers were installed: Chief Templar, James M. Craig; vice Templar, Edith N. Bentley; secretary, Edna Hale; financial secretary, Mae Elaine; treasurer, Ernest Barnford; assistant chaplain, Bertha Hayes; marshal, Clara Hayes; guard, Emil Espig; sentinel, James McGregor.

Five propositions for membership were received and three members were initiated. The reports of the different officers were received and accepted. The present prosperous condition of the lodge is very evident and the interest that is being taken in the affairs is very encouraging to older members.

Farr's Remnant Stores sell all of their dress goods and cottons at mill prices.

Blue Stockings 5; Tremonts 0.

It was with hard and gritty playing that the Blue Stockings secured their five points against the Tremonts of Lawrence in the game on the Tavern lot, Saturday afternoon. The Blues still continue to win, but Saturday's game was one of the hardest they have played this season. The visiting team was very much heavier than the locals and could they have held the ball without fumbling they would undoubtedly have scored. The strength of the Tremonts lay in the effectiveness of their mass plays, which the Blue Stockings were unable to resist.

The first half commenced by Smith of the Blues kicking off. The Tremonts rushed the ball for four yards, Smith got the ball on a fumble on 45-yard line, Blues held for downs, Lambert gets ball on fumble, Tremonts on fumble, Blues hold them for downs, Smith fumbles the ball on 45-yard line, on ball and Hargreaves on the next rush is sent down the field on the criss cross for 40 yards, after the first 12 minutes of play, he is tackled about a yard from a touch down, on the next play they lose six yards and the Tremonts get the ball on a fumble and Hargreaves gets the ball on a fumble and Clements kicks a drop from the field. The Tremonts kick off with three minutes to play, Hargreaves makes a long run but fumbles and it is the Tremont's ball on their own 45 yard line. Time of field on criss cross.

Second half: Tremonts kick off and gain ball on a fumbled catch, Johnson gets ball on fumble but Tremonts regain it on an offside play. Smith regains ball on fumble and starts on a run but is downed after a short distance, Johnson is compelled to punt and Johnson goes in in his place; Blues fumble but Coppinger gets ball for a loss, Clements punts 40 yards, Tremonts rush ball a short distance and fumble, Geaney and Clements fall on ball; Hargreaves is sent to the centre of field on criss cross.

Tremonts ball on fumble, Blues hold them for downs, LaCourse goes in in Haggett's place on Tremonts. Clements punts 45 yards to Tremonts 20 yard line, Hosmer gets ball on fumble, Clements received ball on a poor ground pass and nearly succeeds at a second drop from field. Tremonts make a touch back and kick off from 25 yard line; Geaney and Clements gain a number of yards on criss cross from catch. Clements punts for 25 yards. The Tremonts get ball and think that they may succeed at criss cross without practice, they make a miserable attempt and Finnegan falls on ball. Time up at centre of field.

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